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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Admiral Rojestvensky is determined to battle with Togo and will sink with him or vanquish; twenty Japanese war ships were sighted off Kamranh Bay Sunday night; more firing has been heard at sea; the Russian war ships seized two transports loaded with rice——A number of prominent citizens of South Carolina have been arrested for lynching a white man in Lancaster county; one man will turn state's evidence——The banks of Milwaukee stood by the First National, the president of which defalcated for $1,450,000——The draft of the new constitution of the Transvaal was given out yesterday in London; Gen. Cronje, interviewed at Norfolk last night, declares that it is a violation of Great Britain's treaty with the Boers; he says those here with him will settle in Georgia——The condition of Mr. Arnold Borden who was shot by Mr. E. L. Edmundson at Goldsboro, N. C., on Monday, is somewhat improved but the wound is serious——In the Nan Patterson murder trial in New York yesterday the prosecution exhibiting a skeleton attempted to show that it was impossible for Caesar Young to have committed suicide; her lawyer was indignant and used rought language to the prosecuting attorney——Starr J. Murphy, of John D. Rockefeller's private counsel, refutes the charge of Dr. Washington Gladden that Mr. Rockefeller committed perjury——As a result of the heavy tax imposed by the General Assembly on stock transactions in New York the New Jersey Stock Exchange, capitalized at $250,000 has been organized to do business across the river in Jersey City——Despotic government in Russia is giving away to the popular demand, the Czar having announced emphatically that he will convoke representatives of the people——Riot and blood shed is feared on the Russian Easter——New York markets: Money on call firm, 2 3-4 to 3 1-2 per cent., closing bid 2 1-2, offered at 2 3-4; cotton, spot quiet, 7.60; flour quiet and lower; wheat firm, No. 2 red, 95 3-8 nominal elevator; corn firm No. 2, 58 nominal elevator; oats quiet, mixed 35 to 35 1-2; turpentine nominal 59 to 59 1-2; rosin steady, strained 3.20 to 3.25.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture,
Weather Bureau,
Wilmington, N. C., April 25, 1905.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. yesterday.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 60 degrees; 8 P. M., 64 degrees; Maximum, 74 degrees; Minimum, 54 degrees; Mean, 64 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 3.22.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. yesterday (Monday), 9.1 feet.

PORT ALMANAC—April 26.

Sun Rises	5:13 A. M.
Sun Sets	6:43 P. M.
Day's length	13 h.; 24 m.
High Water at Southport	2:14 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington	4:44 P. M.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair in east, rain in west portion Wednesday; Thursday, rain, fresh south winds.

The bears seem to have rounded up the wheat corner in Chicago.

It would just be some newspaper readers' luck to have peace declared before Togo finds Rojestvensky.

If President Roosevelt wants to find bears that are to be found he should pitch his camp in the wheat pit on the Chicago Produce Exchange.

The ladies of the Baptist church at Johnston, S. C., attend the night services bear-headed. Now watch a conspicuous rivalry in hair dressing in that community.

Sarah Grand, author, says: "Marirage is the finishing school of life." Sarah is correct. Many a man never saw his finish till marriage did a complete job for him.

"You will find frills and ruffles on everything a girl wears," says a fashion writer. It is even so, however, that if you accuse a girl of putting on frills she will get ruffled before you know it.

Says the Baltimore Sun: "The Equitable agents are playing a game of Hyde and seek." One side is seeking to find out where all the money has gone and the other is trying to hide its transactions.

Castro has the asphalt trust so well skinned that it is calling upon Uncle Sam, the alleged trust buster, to save it. While Uncle Sam is doing it he might swap Castro out of his way of doing business.

Hoch, the Chicago "Bluebeard," insists upon being tried by a jury of Germans, because, he says, the American constitution guarantees that the accused shall be tried by his peers. As to the number of his wives, Hoch is peerless unless some Mormon can be treed with some forty or fifty better halves.

This we get from the Washington Post: "Judge Parker is going to deliver an address in Chicago next month. They are having as much trouble in getting Parker to stop talking as they had to get him started some months ago." Judge Parker has awakened to the necessity of speaking in time now to keep the Democratic party from beating its 1904 record of getting cleaned up.

LOCAL DOTS.

—British stamer Mokta, hence for Liverpool with cotton cargo, arrived out yesterday.

—This morning at 11 o'clock the closing passover service will be conducted at the Temple of Israel by Dr. Mendelsohn.

—Services at First Church of Christ, Scientist, this evening at 8:15 o'clock, Odd Fellows' building, second floor. All are invited.

—The annual meeting of the Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co. will be held in Room 513, Southern Building, at 11 o'clock this morning.

—The annual meting of the lot owners of Bellevue cemetery will be held to-night at the office of Secretary and Treasurer W. E. Yopp, on Princess street.

—Spirits turpentine was firm at 54 cents yesterday. Crude turpentine advanced to $2.50 for hard; $4 for dip and $4.50 for virgin. Cotton receipts yesterday were 1,123 bales.

—Fayetteville Observer, 24th: "Bishop Strange returned to Wilmington this afternoon. He had to cancel his engagement at Red Springs for to-day to be in Wilmington to-morrow to attend the funeral of Bishop Watson."

—A special meeting of the Board of Aldermen will probably be held this week for the purpose of electing a city tax lister. The regular monthly meeting of the Board and the last for the present administration will be held Monday night.

Fayetteville Observer: "Dr. Livingston F. Johnson, a graduate of Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa., has accepted the position tendered to him by Dr. J. F. Highsmith as resident physician of the Highsmith Hospital."

—The following vessels cleared yesterday: Schooner Carrie A. Norton with cargo from the Cape Fear Lumber Co., to New York; schooner Wm. Neely, with 16,312 cypress cross-ties from H. J. Spooner, Jr., of Providence, R. I., to New York, and schooner Chas. J. Dumas, light to Georgetown, S. C.; vessels by C. D. Mafitt.

SOLOMON S. SATCHWELL.

Remains of Former Young Wilmingtonian Arrived Last Night.

The remains of the late Solomon S. Satchwell, whose death in San Francisco was recently noted in these columns, arrived last evening on the A. & Y. train from the far-away Pacific coast and were taken to the residence of Mr. E. D. Sloan, a brother-in-law of the deceased, No. 410 North Third street. The remains were expected on the Seaboard Air Line train yesterday at noon, the delay having been on account of missed train connections on the long journey from the west.

The remains were met at the station by sorrowing friends and relatives and a committee from Wilmington Lodge of Elks, consisting of Exalted Ruler T. B. Carroll and Messrs. Henry J. Gerken and Thomas E. Wallace. The deceased was a member of Atlanta Lodge No. 78, B. P. O. E., and out of respect to the "absent brother," the Wilmington Lodge will assemble at 9:15 o'clock this morning at the Elks' building on North Front street for the purpose of attending the funeral in a body. The services will be held at 10 o'clock this morning from St. Thomas' Catholic church, the Rev. Father C. Dennen officiating, and the remains will be laid to rest in Oakdale.

THE STRAWBERRY MOVEMENT.

Best of Fruit Will Go Forward Later—Shipments Yesterday.

Strawberry shipments yesterday were not quite so heavy as on the day before, though they came more nearly from all over the territory. The fruit thus far shipped is said to have been very poor in quality and many growers say they would not be surprised at a collapse in prices at any time. Then, too, in the rush to catch the early market, many berries have been very carelessly packed and the result is expected to be reflected in returns for the next two or three days. The recent cold snap caused many of the berries to mature "knotty" and to ripen on one side, but after the first picking is off, some of the real fine fruit for which North Carolina is famous will begin to go forward and prices will take an upward trend again.

Shipments from the A. & Y. section yesterday amounted to 966 crates by express or the equivalent of about three refrigerator cars, while from the Chadbourn section another train of two sections was required to handle the shipments. Solid trains will begin to move to-day from the W. & W. section, from which large express shipments were forwarded yesterday.

Easter Egg Hunt.

The annual Easter egg hunt by the children of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church will take place at 4 o'clock this afternoon on the church lawn, if the weather is favorable; if not, the event will be postponed until the same hour Thursday afternoon.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

..t Farris'—Ice Cream.
H. J. Gerken—Notice to Elks.
Mabel Paige—Academy of Music.
J. M. Solky & Co.—A Cool Proposition.
James M. Hall—U. S. Branch Postoffice.
Davis-Driscoll Company—Academy of Music.

Business Locals.

F. M. Brown—Watch Lost.
Miss Gore—Complimentary German.
Mrs. E. Campbell—Eye-Glasses Lost.
M. C. Darby & Co.—Real Estate for Sale.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICE

Funeral of Right Reverend A. A. Watson Held Here Yesterday Afternoon.

IN SAINT JAMES' CHURCH

Exercises Beautiful for Their Simplicity, But in Full Keeping With High Office of Venerable Prelate.

Most impressive ceremonies, beautiful for their simplicity but withal in full keeping with the high official position which he held in the Diocese yesterday afternoon marked the funeral of the Right Reverend Alfred Augustin Watson, D. D., whose death occurred at his home in this city last Friday afternoon. The services were held in the Parish church of Saint James, which was thronged with members of the clergy, laity and sorrowing friends not only from this city, but from all over the Diocese. The exercises were directed by Rt. Rev. Robert Strange, D. D., who succeeds the venerable prelate in all the authority and power of the office of the Bishopric of the Diocese, and they were according to the beautiful rites of the Episcopal church.

The funeral hymns were rendered by a full surpliced choir, the music being one of the prettiest features of the solemn ceremonies.

The services were by Bishop Ellison Capers, of South Carolina, and Bishop Joseph Blount Cheshire, of North Carolina. The funeral escort was composed of the Revs. R. B. Drane, of Edenton; T. M. N. George, of Newbern; F. H. T. Horsfield, of Goldsboro; L. L. Williams, of Elizabeth City; John H. Griffith, Jr., of Kinston, and Isaac W. Hughes of Fayetteville.

The funeral procession to Oakdale cemetery where the remains were tenderly laid to rest by the side of the venerable prelate's second wife, was the longest ever seen here.

Cape Fear Camp of Confederate Veterans, the Daughters of the Confederacy, the various societies and guilds of the three Episcopal parishes in the city, assembled before the hour for the services and attended the obsequies in a body. The Confederate Veterans were in charge of Commander James I. Metts and many of them were in the full uniform of gray, the cause of which the late Bishop so earnestly espoused and under which banner he so valiantly served.

The remains of the Bishop lay in State in the church under a guard of honor from the Brotherhood of Saint James from 9 o'clock yesterday morning until 2 o'clock in the afternoon and between those hours hundreds of friends and former parishioners took occasion to pay a last sad mark of love and esteem to the devout leader of men. A silver plate upon the handsome casket of Royal purple, in which the Bishop lay in state, bore this inscription "Alfred Augustin Watson, First Bishop of East Carolina. 1818-1905."

In addition to the large number of the clergy and laity from the Diocese given in yesterday's paper, still others arrived yesterday and the keenest sorrow was expressed by all at the departure of the distinguished Bishop. Regret was expressed that owing to his having missed train connection in Richmond, Bishop Atkinson, of Virginia, could not be here as he had expected.

Meeting at Windsor.

Windsor, N. C., April 24.—Services in memory of Rt. Rev. A. A. Watson, late Bishop of the Diocese of East Carolina, were held in St. Thomas' Episcopal church here yesterday morning. The chancel was draped in black. Mr. E. W. Gray, senior warden, presided over the meeting. Addresses were delivered by Lieut. Governor Francis D. Winston and Mr. Richard W. Askew, superintendent of the school. A committe of Hon. Francis D. Winston, Charles W. Jacocks and Isaac T. Smith, was appointed to prepare and publish suitable resolutions. The church was filled with people. Bishop Watson was held in the highest esteem by every one in this community. A great many Confederate soldiers here recall meeting him during the war and recite many instances of his unselfish labor and useful ministrations during the war.

Her Sister Dead.

Mr. Roger Moore yesterday received a telegram from Mrs. Moore stating that her sister, Miss Stella Van Dyke, whom she went to be with Saturday, had just died at her home in Canton, Pa. Miss Van Dyke was about 28 years of age and had several times visited in Wilmington where she is pleasantly remembered. She passed away after an illness of some days with pneumonia. She leaves besides her father and mother, four sisters to mourn their loss. Mrs. Moore will not return to Wilmington until some time after the funeral.

Died of Gangrene.

Mr. John Robert Carter, of Cottage No. 66, Delgado, died Monday night at his home of gangrene of the feet and legs, following typhoid fever and complicated with Bright's disease. Mr. Carter had been a sufferer for eleven months. He was in the 50th year of his age, and leaves a wife and several children. The remains were taken yesterday afternoon to Farmer's Turnaont for interment.

Wilmington Post, T. P. A.

The charter list of Post G., the Wilmington branch of the T. P. A., North Carolina Division, was increased yesterday to fifty, the largest number with which any post of the organization in the State, has started. The officers are all enthusiastic in the work of the T. P. A., and the post will rapidly forge to the front.

CONTROVERSY OVER A HOG

Defendants From Country, Not Guilty of Larceny, Wanted Warrant For Prosecutor, Mr. J. D. Sidbury.

An ugly state of affairs developed during the progress of a trial before Justice John J. Fowler yesterday afternoon, W. H. Batton and Frank Capps, two white men living near Scott's Hill, in this county, having been charged by Mr. J. D. Sidbury, of this city, with the larceny of a hog. According to the story of the defendants, who were found not guilty and discharged, the prosecutor over-stepped the bounds of the law in dealing with the men and further complications will likely grow out of the affair.

It appears that on the 8th of last November that a "sandy colored" hog was stolen from Mr. Sidbury, who says that he tracked the shoat to a house occupied by Batton and Capps, where he found a hog's head, the ear's cut off, buried in the yard. Mr. Sidbury returned home and secured a search warrant from Magistrate Chas. Casteen, which was placed in the hands of Mr. Sidbury's son-in-law, Mr. Forrest Padrick, as a special officer, to serve. Mr. Padrick went to the house of the two men and found a barrel of unsalted pork on the premises but was of course unable to identify it as the slaughtered hog of Mr. Sidbury and so made the return to the magistrate. In the meantime, it is said, that Mr. Sidbury with the special officer returned to the house and placed the two men under arrest, tieing Padrick with a rope and subsequently releasing Capps. The pork was taken by Mr. Sidbury and Batton was carried before Magistrate Casteen, who discharged him. However, at the suggestion of the prosecutor, Batton was recognized under bond to appear at some future date before the magistrate. The defendants said that the following day Mr. Sidbury came to them and told Batton that he had best sell out a small tract of land and other property he owned and get out of the county. Batton sold to Mr. Sidbury and left for South Carolina but recently returned, when he was rearrested and brought before Justice Fowler.

At the hearing yesterday a large crowd was attracted. The prosecution was represented by Brooke G. Empie, Esq., and the defendants by R. K. Bryan, Esq., of Scott's Hill. As before stated they were discharged and the defendants applied to Justice Fowler for a warrant for the prosecutor, charging intimidation. Justice Fowler replied that as he had already expressed an opinion on the case he would perfer the action be brought before some other magistrate.

CHARMING MABEL PAIGE.

Greeted By S. R. O. House Last Night—Another Repertoire Week.

As "Margie Chester," the title role in "The Little Stowaway," Miss Mabel Paige and an exceptionally strong supporting company most auspiciously inaugurated a five night's engagement at the Academy of Music last night. The charming little Southern actress has lost none of her hold upon the hearts of Wilmington theatregoers and the house was filled to "standing room only" with an audience which was highly appreciative. The bill was a strong one and the vaudeville specialties between the four acts of the play were very pleasing. The line of specialties will be changed nightly during the week.

A special matinee will be given this afternoon for the benefit of ladies and children, the bill being "Jack's Sweetheart." The doors will open at the usual hour and the prices will be as usual. The bill for to-night will be the favorite four-act society drama "Belle of Virginia," one of the most refined and pleasing pieces in the company's strong repertoire.

Beginning next Monday night and continuing for an entire week the Davis Driscoll Stock Company will present a strong repertoire at the playhouse, a list of the same being given in another column.

WELL KNOWN HERE.

Mr. E. P. Jenerette Died Yesterday in Monticello, Florida.

Mr. W. B. Cooper, of this city, last night received a telegram bringing to him the quite unexpected and sad news of the death of his uncle, Mr. E. P. Jenerette, formerly a prominent merchant of Mullins, S. C., but since last Christmas a turpentine operator of Monticello, Fla., where he died. Mr. Jenerette was prominently connected in the county and in Brunswick and was well known to many wholesale merchants here with whom he had dealings while in business at Mullins. The telegram gave no particulars of the death. Mr. Jenerette married a Miss Patterson, of Columbus county, and she with four children, all small, survive him. Mr. Jenerette was also an uncle of Mr. Alva Mincey, with Brooks & Taylor, of this city, and Mr. Purley, with Hall & Pearsall, Incorporated, of Wilmington, and a cousin of Mrs. J. W. Brooks, of this city. The remains will be brought to Mullins, S. C., to-night for interment. Mr. Cooper will leave this afternoon to attend the funeral.

Real Estate Transfers.

From deeds filed for record yesterday the following real estate transfers appear: S. J. Ellis and wife to Robert C. Sellers, for $1,500, property on west side of Tenth, 132 feet north of Chesnut street, 99x130 feet in size, more or less. W. M. Cumming and wife and B. F. King and wife to Thos. J. Gore and wife, for $1,000, porperty at northeast corner of Dawson street and Millis' alley, 70x66 feet in size, more or less.

TO CHANGE HANDS

Colonial Inn Said to Have Been Leased by Mr. W. H. Chadbourn.

AN INCREASE OF RENTAL

Proprietor J. P. Goldsborough's Lease Expires Monday—Increase From $1,500 to $2,400 Per Year—May Be Litigation.

Unless the unexpected happens the management of the Colonial Inn, Wilmington's new hotel at northeast corner of Fourth and Market streets, will change hands on May 1st. Mr. J. P. Goldsborough, the present proprietor, who had a lease upon the property for 12 months, has been notified by the owners that effective upon the expiration of his lease next Monday, the annual rental will be increased from $1,500 to $2,400 per year, which increase he is unwilling to pay. It is stated that upon Mr. Goldsborough's refusal to pay the increased rent, that the property has been leased to Mr. W. H. Chadbourn, one of the stockholders of the owning company, and that he will take at least temporary charge at the beginning of the new rental year.

On the other hand Mr. Goldsborough has some personal property in the hotel and unless he can dispose of that at a reasonable rate, he says that he will refuse to give up the property on the ground that he has not been given legal notice of 30 days to vacate the premises. Litigation will likely follow, but it is stated that the affairs of the hotel will be in no wise interfered with in consequence thereof.

Mr. Goldsborough says that only within the past month or two has the hotel been on a paying basis; that for several months he was compelled to conduct the Inn at loss and now that he has put it upon a reasonable paying basis, he thinks it unjust that the rental should be increased upon him in such undue proportion.

The outcome of the controversy between the owners of the property and the lessee will be watched with interest.

DISORDER IN ALLIES.

Mayor Put a Quietus on Three Police Defendants Yesterday.

Complaint had been made by several within the past two or three days of general disorder in the alley opposite Front street market house. As the Mayor gave orders some time ago, permitting none of the shanties therein to be occupied and as the order, from the vacant houses, was aparently being carried out, the authorities were at a loss to know how the complaints could be just. However, the Mayor issued orders to the police to keep a sharp lookout for disorderly persons passing through that quarter and yesterday morning, between 6 and 7 o'clock, the vigilance of Policeman G. R. Holt was rewarded when Fletcher Williams and Rachel Revels, both old offenders, came through in a very hilarious mood. They were both arrested and before the Mayor at noon in the police court, they were each given 30 days, the man being sent to the roads and the woman to the work house.

The only other case before the Mayor yesterday was that of Ed. Williams, colored, charged with disorderly conduct in Kellog's alley. It was his first offence and he escaped with $5 and cost.

Complimentary Dances.

A large number of young people of the city are anticipating with pleasure a complimentary german to be given Friday night, beginning at 9 o'clock, in Germania Hall, by Miss Bessie Gore to her advanced dancing classes. All former patrons and their lady friends are cordially invited. Hollowbush's Orchestra will play and a large number of couples are expected to participate. On Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Germania Hall Miss Gore will give a complimentary dance to her afternoon class. That will also be a delightful affair in which a large number of the children will take part.

Revival at Brooklyn Church.

The revival at Brooklyn Baptist church, which has been in progress the past two weeks, has been marked by great success. The services will continue until further notice at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and 7 P. M. each day until further notice. Last night before the regular service the ordinance of baptism was administered to 13 candidates for membership in the church and four others were received for baptism. Rev. J. E. Smith is still with the pastor, Rev. J. A. McKaughan, and a great work is being accomplished.

Dixon Negroes Arrested.

Fayetteville Observer: "Officers Monaghan and Pate of Cumberland, and Baker and Beard of Robeson county, Saturday arrested Alex and David Dixon and John Wilson, about 12 miles from Fayetteville, charged with the murder of Herman Munn, during a drunken quarrel. Alexander Dixon was captured while hiding in a barn, David was found at home and the Wilson negro was caught in the woods. They were all taken to Lumberton jail for safe keping."

To Adjust Insurance.

A number of adjusters have already arrived and others will be here to-day and to-morrow to begin the adjustment of the insurance in the recent fire loss on Market street. It is expected that a day or two will be consumed in the adjustment, which owing to the nature of the burned property, will be quite difficult.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Col. W. B. Fort, of Pikeville, was here yesterday.

—Mr. L. J. Merriman, of Ivanhoe, arrived last night.

—Mr. Gordon Williams, of Wilson, was among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton.

—Mr. E. B. Council, of Wananish, N. C., was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. A. H. Shepherd, of Florence, S. C., was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. P. L. Hansley, of Toronto, Canada, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—J. O. Carr, Esq., is in Kenansville attending James Sprunt Institute commencement.

—Mr. G. T. Shepherd, of Middle Sound, was a pleasant caller at the Star office yesterday.

—Mr. F. R. Rose, of Fayetteville, was here yesterday to attend the funeral of Bishop Watson

—Mr. Hugh R. Healey left last evening for New York, to be absent about six weeks on business and recreation.

—Among last night's arrivals were: DeLos Thomas, Winston; D. T. Oates, Fayetteville, and Penj. Smith, Charlotte.

—Fayetteville Observer: "Messrs. C. L. Parker and J. T. Gaster came up from Wilmington Sunday to spend Easter with their parents."

—Fayetteville Observer: "Miss Mary Allen, of Wilmington, arrived to-day to attend the wedding of her cousin, Miss Mary Warren Cameron, on Thursday."

—Wilson Times: "Mr. H. E. Newbury, father of Dr. Newbury, returned to his home in Magnolia, to-day greatly improved after a fifteen days stay at the sanitarium."

—Miss Charlotte Styron returned Monday night from Maxton, N. C. She will spend a vacation of two weeks at home with her mother, Mrs. E. Styron, No. 816 Dock street.

—Mr. J. H. White, of Shallotte, who has been one of The Star's valued subscribers for twenty-five years, was a welcome visitor yesterday. He was accompanied by his son, Mr. Martin L. White.

—Fayetteville Observer: "Among those who went down to Wilmington this afternoon to attend the funeral of the late Bishop Watson to-morrow were: Mrs. W. L. Holt, Revs. I. W. Hughes and J. S. Moody, Major Chas. Haigh and Messrs. J. J. Crosswell, F. R. Rose, W. H. Pope and Leighton Huske."

—Mr. Walter L. Pierce, representing the Burorws Adding Machine Company, is a guest at The Orton. Mr. Pierce's machines are in use in three banks in Wilmington), took the World's Fair prize at St. Louis and are used in over 25,000 offices in the country. "The Adding Machine Man is in town" is the way Mr. Pierce is heralded when he strikes the burg of Wilmington.

COLLINS MURDER TRIAL.

Argument Will Be Completed To-Day—Strong Speeches Yesterday.

All of yesterday in Columbus Superior Court at Whiteville was devoted to argument to the jury by counsel in the Collins' murder trial, the speeches being spoken of as very strong on both sides. Herbert McClammy, Esq., of the Wilmington bar, made an eloquent plea for the prisoner, presenting a strong array of facts for the defence. The speeches were heard by large crowds, and it is said, that the public sentiment against the prisoner has been considerably tempered.

The closing argument in the case will begin as early as 9 o'clock this morning, Mr. Marsden Bellamy, Sr., closing for the prisoner, and Solicitor C. C. Lyon for the State. Each side will put forth herculean effort in this last appeal to the jury. One of counsel for the prisoner when asked about the case last night said that he thought the outlook was fair. The case will probably get to the jury by 2 o'clock this afternoon, and if a verdict is reached at all, it will be within an hour, according to the best opinion.

FRONT STREET BUILDING.

Handsome Business House Will Be Commenced To-day.

Work will be commenced this morning upon another handsome new business house on North Front street. It will be built by Mrs. Barbara Bear, widow of the late Samuel Bear, Sr., next north of her residence on Front street. The plans were drawn by Architect Chas. McMillen and the building will be two stories in heigth, of brick, with plate glass front. The frontage on the street will be 20 feet and the store will extend into the block 70 feet. It is not yet given out who will occupy the building but it will be devoted to business purposes.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of the late Solomon S. Satchwell will be held this (Wednesday) morning at 10 o'clock from Saint Thomas' Catholic church; thence to Oakdale cemetery.

Friends and acquaintances invited to attend. apr 26 1t*

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—B. P. O. ELKS.—
—Notice—

Wilmington Lodge, No. 532.:

Brother Elks: You are notified to assemble at your lodge-room at 9:15 o'clock this (Wednesday) morning) for the purpose of attending the funeral of Bro. S. S. Satchwell, of Atlanta, Ga., Lodge, No. 78.

Visiting Elks invited to attend.

By order of the Exalted Ruler.

H. J. Gerken, Secretary.

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This offer, as will be noted, is for a limited period only, and is made for the purpose of giving those who appreciate the value of a daily newspaper an opportunity to read the STAR for six months, or more, at a cost of about one and a quarter cents per copy, and then determine whether or not they will continue their subscription at the regular price.

No name will be entered on our books under this offer unless the order is accompanied with the cash.

While this proposition is made primarily to secure new subscribers, old subscribers outside the city may avail themselves of its advantages at the reduced rate provided they pay all arrearages and for not less than six months in advance.

On account of the heavy expense attached to our city circulation department this offer does not apply to city subscribers.

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The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Wednesday Morning, April 26.

STORAGE OF COTTON IN THE SOUTH.

In yesterday's Star we published the appeal of Mr. Harvie Jordan, president of the Southern Cotton Asociation, and of the Hon. T. B. Parker, president of the North Carolina branch of the Asociation, urging upon the farmers of North Carolina to meet at their respective county sites next Tuesday to further the movement to reduce the cotton acreage and to curtail the use of fertilizers for the crop now being pitched. In that same issue of The Star was the New York cotton story stating that on Monday "continued talk of weakening among Southern holders" was one of the reasons for a drop of 5 points in the price of spot cotton. Rumors that there will be no reduction according to the plan of the Southern Cotton Association had previously tended to reduce prices, and now they have it that the holders are weakening and will not hold their cotton for higher prices.

These facts are alone sufficient to convince the farmers that an effective organized movement is absolutely necessary to accomplish their purpose in getting remunerative prices for their cotton. It also shows that reduction is not all that is required but that the warehouse plan of the Southern Cotton Association must be organized to successfully hold the cotton out of the market to keep prices from tumbling. The warehouse plan is a wise one, and it may be surprising to know that a paper of the wide influence and great ability of the New York Journal of Commerce commends the plan. That leading commercial and financial newspaper on Monday says this in an editorial:

"Quite apart from the question that is agitating the Cotton Exchange in regard to providing facilities for delivering cotton in the South on contracts of sale made here, with proper allowance for transportation and other charges, the matter of proper provision for storage in the cotton growing section is one of importance and is occupying attention there. The people having a direct interest in cotton production and the cotton trade have been awakened to the need of a systematic policy in marketing the staple and a reasonable control over its distribution. Up to this time there has been practically no policy and no system. When a crop has been 'short,' absolutely or comparatively, the producers, perhaps burdened with debt or accruing obligations, have hurried it to market at the picking and ginning season as fast as it was ready, and, while getting good prices, have passed on to middlemen and speculators the main advantage of an inevitable advance. The process of distribution to consumers has become subject to manipulation for intermediate profits, to the loss of manufacturers and no benefit to producers. When the crop has been large, the rushing of cotton to market as fast as it can be got ready has unduly depressed the price and induced another form of speculative handling. The traders have been left to adjust supply to demand as best they could with such storage facilities as they could command, and manufacturers have been forced to become speculators to a greater or less extent.

"Facilities for storing cotton in case of surplus production have been mostly with the manufacturers or at the larger distributing points where traders are active, but at the latter it cannot be held long without considerable cost and risk. The sentiment which has sprung up in the South in favor of a larger control of the market in the interest of growers and a better distribution of the supply of a short season to meet a demand extending through the year and from one year to another, is in the main sound. For this an intelligent and safe means of storage is necessary in the section of production. The nearer this is to the producer the more economical it will be, provided it is systematicallly and prudently managed. With the cotton secured from exposure to damage and risk from storm or fire, there will be less cost for insurance and greater value as banking security, and it can be kept until called for at a fair price. To make such a system advantageous it must be conducted in a business-like fashion under the direction of capable and well informed men, and for this some kind of organized association is necessary."

The Journal of Commerce puts the matter strongly, and if those in the commercial centre can so readily see the point Southern cotton growers, merchants and bankers, certainly ought to be able to comprehend the situation more fully, as they are most concerned in protecting the chief industry upon which they must thrive.

While discussing the warehouse plan, the Journal of Commorce also touches upon another exceedingly important matter affecting our great Southern industry. The editorial concludes:

"There is another point to which Southern planters and dealers need to give attention. It is a common complaint, especially abroad, that American cotton is badly baled. Cotton received in England from India or Egypt is closely packed and tightly baled, well protected from injury and easily handled. That received from the United States is clumsily baled, loosely pressed, and so slovenly in its covering as to be exposed to dirt, dampness and even loss of bulk. All this has to be reckoned in determining price and certain insurance is demanded against loss in quantity or damage to quality. Our own manufacturers have to calculate upon the same risks of injury and loss from annecessary exposure, and there is undoubtedly a waste in value from lack of proper baling and storage which more than offsets the cost that would be incurred in remedying those defects. There is need of a fixed standard bale, and it is a question whether it should not be considerably smaller than that now in use, for ease in handling and more secure and compact packing of the fibre."

It is an easy matter to pack cotton properly and our farmers should certainly pay more attention to that matter.

TWINKLINGS.

—Cos Cob Con—"Kind, sir, I have no home." Cynical Citizen—"You're lucky; I've got a home with four cozy corners and three mortgages."—Pluck.

—She—Then you don't believe in "emotion?" He—Oh, yes; but the average woman's idea of "emotion" is generally "commotion." — Brooklyn Life.

—She—"I'm going to make a cake for the sale. I hope it will bring a lot of money." He—"Why don't you sell it by weight, dear. It's sure to bring a lot, then."—Yonkers Statesman.

—Wife—"That woman next door stood in her dining-room for half an hour to-day looking into ours." Husband — "How do you know?" "Why, I happened to be in our front bedroom watching her."—Cassell's.

—"But, my dear lady, you must not allow your grief to overcome you. Remember, your husband is far happier in the other world." "P-possibly he is b-but I think you are exceedingly r-rude to say so."—Browning's Magazine.

—Boston Mother—"Now, Emersonia, the doctor has issued positive orders that you must not wear your glasses on the street." Mrs. Backbay—"Oh, but mother, it seems so indelicate to appear in public without them."—Pittsburg Post.

—"Gracious! Such language from a baby!" "Awful, isn't it? You see, nurse has been taking her to her sister's every day or so for a visit." "Her sister must have a parrot." "No; she has a husband."—Houston Post.

—"Paw, would it be ungrammatical to say 'I seen you when you hid ten dollars under the bureau?'" "Yes, son, both ungrammatical and dangerous. When you are in doubt on such points always come to me and never go to your mother."—Cincinnati Tribune.

—In a rural justice's court the defendant in a case was sentenced to serve thirty days in jail. He had known the Judge from boyhood, and addressed him as follows: "Bill, old boy, you're agwine ter send me ter jail, air you?" "That's what," replied the Judge. "Have you got anything to say ag'in' it?" "Only this here, Bill Gold help you when I git out!"—Atlanta Constitution.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The application for a receiver for the Equitable Society has evidently been made on the ground that while the fight is in progress there should be somebody to hold the stakes.—Washington Post.

—Uncle Sam owns one railroad. It is in Panama, running across the neck of land. And that road operates "Jim Crow" cars. New England will be heard from with respect to the matter in a short while, doubtless.—Savannah News.

—It is stated that in South America a more stupendous waterfall has been discovered than the Falls of Niagara. Travelers say the former is the more beautiful and attractive phenomenon of the two. But the important consideration is what is the amount of its horse-power and its value as a commercial agency.—Philadelphia Record.

—Immediate steps are to be taken in Chicago to have the city build and operate its own gas plant. The new Mayor was elected on a platform demanding municipal ownership of street railways. It has not yet been announced when Chicago will take over the meat shops, the laundry shops and the bootblack stands. — Savannah News.

—The Artesian well at Fort Moultrie has been completed. The total depth is 1,920 feet. The well is cased to a dept of 1,216 feet with 7-inch casing The natural flow of water is 150,000 gallons of water per day. The analysis of the water shows that it is of a potable and wholesome quality, very much like the water obtained from the Wentworth street well in the city. —Charleston News and Courier.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, APRIL 24.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market firm, 54c.

ROSIN—Market nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.50 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip and $4.50 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm at 53c.; rosin, nothing doing; tar, firm, at $1.90; crude turpentine, steady at $3.25 @3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	4
Rosin	
Tar	86
Crude turpentine	48

Receipts same day last year—49 casks spirits turpentine, 100 barrels rosin, 333 barrels tar, 122 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market, quiet at 7 1-2 for middling.

Same day last year, nothing doing.

Receipts—1,123 bales; same day last year, 2 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants prices representaing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 90c.; extra prime, 85c.; fancy, $1.00, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 80c.; extra prime, 85c.; fancy, 90c. Spanish, 85@90c.

CORN—Firm; 60@65 per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, new, 12@12 1-2c. per pound; shoulders, 9c.; sides, dull, 9 to 10c.

EGGS—Dull at 13@14c. per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Springs, 20@30c.; Grown, 30@40c.

TURKEYS—Dull at 13c. for live; 18@20c. for dressed.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5 1-2@6c. per pound.

PORK—Firm at 6@7c. net.

PEAS—White, $1.50@$1.60; clay, $1.10@$1.15.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 70@75c. per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2@3 1-2c. per pound.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

New York, April 25.—The cotton market was more active and generally weak under bear pressure and liquidation attributed to Wall Street longs. The opening was easy at a decline of 2@7 points in response to easier cables, continued big receipts, and talk of still easier spot markets in the South. There was buying for short account on a scale down but there was no agressive support and with local bears confident, prices slid off until at a decline of about 5@8 points, there was enough covering in preparation for the weekly bureau report at midday to rally the market some 3 or 4 points. The report was about a standoff and was followed by renewal of bear pressure which carried the market to a new low point for the session and nearly ninety points under the high prices of last month. The close was steady in tone, but at just about the lowest of the session at a decline of 11 to 17 points. Sales futures estimated at 350,000 bales. The day's weather reports showed rather more rain than considered favorable in the cotton belt and the forecast called for more precipitation, but receipts for the day were big, the estimates full, and the Southern spot markets easy to 1-8c. lower.

Spot cotton closed quiet 15 points lower; middling uplands, 7.60; middling gulf, 7.85. Sales none. Futures closed steady: April, 7.03; May, 7.13; June, 7.00; July, 7.08; August, 7.12; September, 7.16; October, 7.21; November, 7.25; December, 7.29; January, 7.34; February, 7.38; March, 7.44.

Port Movement.

Galveston—Easy, 7 3-8c.; net receipts 9,319 bales.

New Orleans—Easy, 7 3-16c.; net receipts, 9,203 bales.

Mobile—Easy, 7 1-8c.; net receipts, 2,912 bales.

Savannah—Quiet, 7 1-8c.; net receipts, 9,906 bales.

Charleston—Quiet, 7 1-8c.; net receipts, 131 bales.

Wilmington—Nominal; 1,123 bales.

Norfolk—Quiet, 7 1-2c ; net receipts, 2,192 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 7 5-8c.

New York—Quiet, 7.60; net receipts, 50 bales.

Boston—Quiet, 7 60; net receipts, 282 bales.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 7.85; net receipts, 25 bales.

Port Townsend—Net reecipts, 1,726 bales.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 35,765 bales; Great Britain, 3,294 bales; France, 4,700 bales; Continent, 5,824 bales; Japan 2,522 bales; Stock, 698,728 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 86,523 bales; Great Britain, 42,242 bales; France, 4,700 bales; Continent, 21,424 bales; Japan, 10,769 bales; Mexico, 350 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 8,451,255; Great Britain, 3,142,756 bales; France, 682,074 bales; Continent, 2,674,080 bales; Japan, 200 bales; Mexico, 167 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Easy, 7 3-8c.; net receipts, 3,172 bales

Augusta—Steady, 7 5-16c.; net receipts, 1,150 bales.

Memphis—Steady, 7 3-8c.; net receipts, 909 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet, 7 1-2c.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 365 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 7 3-4c.

Total to-day—Net receipts 35,765 bales.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, April 25.—Cotton—Spot quiet; prices five points lower; American middling fair, 4.60d.; good middling, 4.28d.; middling, 4.12d; low middling, 3.96d.; good ordinary, 3.78d.; ordniary, 3.62d. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 5,7000 American. Receipts since last report 46,000 bales, including 38,200 American.

Futures opened easier and closed steady. American middling G. O. C: April, 3.95d.; April and May, 3.95d.; May and June, 3.96d.; June and July, 3.98d.; July and August, 4d.; August and September, 4.02d.; September and October, 4.03d.; October and November, 4.04d.; November and December, 4.05d.; December and January, 4.06d.; January and February, 4.08d.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, April 25.—Money on call firm, 2 3-4@3 1-2; closing bid 1-2; offered at 2 3-4. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 3 1-4 per cent., ninety days, 3 1-2 per cent. Six months 3 1-2@3 3-4. Prime mercantile 4@4 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange firm with actual busines in bankers bills at 486.25@486.30 for demand and at 484.45@484.40 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 485 and 487. Commercial bills, 484 1-8@484 1-4. Bar silver, 57 1-2. Mexican dollars, 44 1-2.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s, reg	104 5-8
U. S refunding 2s cou.	104 5-8
U. S. 3s, reg.	104
U. S. 3s cou.	105
U. S. 4s reg.	132
U .S. 4s new cou.	133
U. S. 4s Old reg.	101 3-4
U. S. Old cou.	104 3-4
American Tobacco 4s, cert	73 7-8
American Tobacco 6s, cert.	113 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	101 3-4
L. & N. Unified 4s	103
Seaboard Air Line 4s (bid)	88 1-2
Southern Railway 5s	119 3-4

Closing Stock List.

Atlantic Coast Line	167 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd	95
Chesapeake & Ohio	55 3-8
Louisville & Nashville	154 5-8
Manhattan L.	164 1-2
Mexican Central	22 3-4
New York Central	152
Norfolk & Western	84 1-4
Norfolk & Western, pfd	92
Pennsylvania	142
Reading	94 3-4
Reading, 1st pfd	91 1-2
Reading 2d pfd	87
Southern Railway	33 5-8
Southern Railway, pfd	96 1-2
Amalgamated Copper	83 3-4
Tenn. Coal & Iron	96 3-4
Va.-Car. Chemical	35 7-8
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	106 3-4
S. A. L. com.	18 1-4@19
S. A. L. pfd.	38 @39
Standard Oil	625

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, April 25.—Comparative calm pervaded the wheat market here today. To all appearances the famous deal in May wheat is now absolutely a thing of the past. Influenced by a substantial decrease in the world's available stocks, the market closed firm with July up 1-2@5-8c. The May option closed precisely at yesterday's final quotation. Corn is up 1-2c. Oats show a gain of 1-8@1-4c. Provisions are up 5 to 7 1-2c.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat, No. 2.—				
May	93¾	95	92	93
July	84⅞	85⅝	84⅛	85⅝
Sept.	80⅝	81	80¼	81
Corn, No. 2.—				
May	45¾	46⅝	45½	46⅜
July	46⅜	47	46¼	47
Sept.	46⅝	47¼	46⅝	47¼
Oats, No. 2.—				
May	29¼	29¼	28⅞	29¼
July	29⅛	29⅜	28⅞	29⅜
Sept.	28⅝	28⅝	28½	28⅝
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
May	12.10	12.20	1	
July	12.37½	12.55	1	
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
May	7.07½	7.17½		
July	7.25	7.35		
Sept	7.40	7.47½		
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
May	6.80	6.85	6.77½	6.85
July	7.10	7.15	7.07½	7.15
Sept	7.27½	7.32½	7.32½	7.32½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, easy; No. 2 spring wheat, 92 1-2@94 1-2; No. 3 93; No. 2 red, 92 @95; No. 2 corn, 46 3-4; No. 2 yellow, 47 1-2; No. 2 oats, 29 1-2@29 5-8; No. 2 white, 31 1-2@32; No. 3 white, 29@31 1-4; No. 2 rye, 74; Mess pork, per bbl., 12.10@12.15; Lard, per 100 lbs., 7.07 1-2@7.10; short ribs sides (loose), 6.75@6.85; shore clear sides (boxed), 6.87@7.00; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.23.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, April 25.—Flour quiet and lower.

RYE FLOUR—Quiet.

WHEAT—Firm; No. 2 red, 95 3-8 nominal elevator. Options partly 1-2c. net higher. May, 94 1-2; July, 90 3-8; September, 85 1-4.

CORN—Firm; No. 2, 53 nominal elevator. Options, 5-8@3-4c. net higher. May, 52; July, 52 3-8.

OATS—Quiet; mixed, 35@35 1-2.

LARD—Steady; western steamed, 7.50; refined steady.

PORK—Barely steady; mess 13.37 1-2 @13.75.

TALLOW—Dull.

RICE—Firm.

MOLASSES—Firm.

COFFEE—Spot Rio quiet; mild steady. Futures steady at net advance of 5@15 points.

SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining, 4; centrifugal 96 test, 4 5-8; molasses sugar, 3 3-4. Refined dull.

BUTTER—Unchanged.

CHEESE—Steady, unchanged.

EGGS—Steady, unchanged.

Potatoes—Weak; Florida new, 3.00 @6.00; State and western 1.00@1.50; Jersey sweets, 2.50@4.00.

PEANUTS—Steady; fancy handpicked, 5 1-4@5 1-2; other domestic, 3 1-4@5 1-2.

CABBAGES—Quiet; Florida per barrel crate, 1.00@2.00.

COTTON BY STEAM—To Liverpool, 10@14c.

COTTON SEED OIL.—Moderately active but easier. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 20 1-2; prime summer yellow, 25 1-2@26; off summer yellow nominal; prime white, 29@29 1-2c.; prime winter yellow, 28@29 1-2c.

NAVAL STORE MARKETS.

New York, April 25.—Turpentine nominal, 59 to 59 1-2; rosin steady, strained, 3.20 to 3.25.

Charleston, April 25.—Turpentine and rosin unchanged.

Savannah, April 25.—Turpentine firm 55; receipts 1,074; sales 573; shipments, 290.

Rosin firm; receipts 1,524; sales 1,104; shipments 1,847. Quote: A. B. C., 2.90; D., 2.95; E., 3.00; F., 3.05; G., 3.10; H., 3.25; I., 3.45@3.50; K., 3.60; M., 3.75@3.85; N., 3.85@3.90; W. G., 3.90@3.95; W. W., 4.00@4.05.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Navahoe, Bunnell, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

CLEARED.

Schooner Carrie A Norton, Hammett, New York; C. D. Mafflitt.

Schooner Wm. Neely, Wells, New York, C. D. Mafflitt.

Schooner Chas. J. Dumas, Hudgins, Georgetown, S. C., C. D. Mafflitt.

Seamer Navahoe, Bunnell, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

Exports—Coastwise.

New York—Schooner Carrie A. Norton, 410,000 feet lumber; cargo by Cape Fear Lumber Co.; vessel by C. D. Mafflitt.

New York—Schooner Wm. Neely 16,312 cross-ties; cargo by Henry J. Spooner, Jr., of Providence; vessel by C. D. Mafflitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., April 25, 1905.

C. C. Railroad—58 barrels tar, 11 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—210 bales cotton, 3 barrels tar, 1 barrel crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—866 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 10 barrels tar, 36 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—47 bales cotton, 15 barrels tar.

Total—1,123 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 86 barrels tar, 48 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Bylands (Br), 2,119 tons, Dorman, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Helen Montague, 348 tons, Adams, C. D. Mafflitt.

Isaac T. Campbell, 494 tons, Waldemar, C. D. Mafflitt.

Bradford C. French, 920 tons, Garland, C. D. Mafflitt.

Carrie A. Bucknam, 235 tons, Torrey, C. D. Mafflitt.

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T. Griswold Comstock, A.M., M.D., *of St. Louis, Mo.*, says: "I have often prescribed **BUFFALO LITHIA WATER** in Gouty and Rheumatic conditions and in **Renal Calculi,** accompanied by **Renal Colic,** and always with the most satisfactory results. In **Renal Calculi,** where there is an excess of **Uric Acid,** it is especially efficacious."

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Hotel opens June 15th.

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LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining Uncalled For in the Wilmington Postoffice, April 25, 1905.

Women's List.

Nancy Batey, Maria Bellhashroe, Jane Bowen, Mamie Brock, Marie Brown, Mary E. Bullock, Lindsay Butler, Sarah E. Connor, Mrs. W. D. Croom, Lucy C. George, Lucy Hoes, A. Caare Jarman, Mrs. Tom Louis, Mollie McDiell, Mary A. McNeil, Mrs. I. M. Mears, Grace New, Mary Nichels, Helen Ranyin, Lena Reaves (2), Fannie Rhods, Mamie Rodgers, Ella Sidbury, Annie J. Smith.

Men's List.

Willie Abrams, David Bailey, Ransome Booth, Brock M'f'g. Co., J. R. Biggs, Samuel Burnsin, M. D. Cobb, J. H. Deams, John E. Eason, George Gales, J. W. Gattis, Claud Graves, E. G. Griffin, J. H. Hamilton, E. D. Haist, J. H. Halls, John A. Hewett, Robert Hill, J. H. Hopper, Merritt Lee, John A. McDermett, Rev. J. R. McCullen, Williams Mack, Willie Marshburn, A. E. Martin, J. T. Mints, Quince Miller, col), J. T. Moore, Louis Osteen, P. H. Percino, W. J. Pooser, J. T. Seltler, D. R. Smith, J. W. Smith, John Suggs, Joseph Winley, Alfred Woods, K. M. Yopp.

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W .O. Theplor.

One cent due is charged on letters advertised.

Letters to strangers or transient visitors to a town or city, whose special address may be unknown, should be marked in the lower left-hand corner with the word "Transient."

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T. E. WALLACE, Postmaster.

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That such is the case has been conclusively proven by scientific research. Prof. Unna, the noted European skin specialist, declares that dandruff is the burrowed-up cuticle of the scalp, caused by parasites destroying the vitality in the hair bulb. The hair becomes lifeless, and, in time, falls out. This can be prevented.

Newbro's Herpicide kills this dandruff germ, and restores the hair to its natural softness and abundancy.

Herpicide is now used by thousands of people—all satisfied that it is the most wonderful hair preparation on the market to-day.

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A Daredevil Ride

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Suffering frightfully from the virulent poisons of undigested food, C. G. Grayson, of Lula, Miss., took Dr. King's New Life Pills, "with the result," he writes, "that I was cured." All stomach and bowel disorders give way to their tonic, laxative properties. 25c. at R. R. Bellamy's drug store, guaranteed. **

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Could any amount of mere talk have persuaded millions of housekeepers to use

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the leader of all package coffees for over a quarter of a century, if they had not found it superior to all other brands in

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This popular success of LION COFFEE can be due only to inherent merit. There is no stronger proof of merit than continued and increasing popularity.

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LION COFFEE is sold only in 1 lb. sealed packages, and reaches you as pure and clean as when it left our factory.

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Save these Lion-heads for valuable premiums

SOLD BY GROCERS EVERYWHERE

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Great Easter Clothing Sale

Thursday, Friday and Saturday,

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MEN'S.	BOY'S.
$15.00 Men's Suits, $11.90	$3.50 Boy's Suits, $2.98.
$12.50 Men's Suits, $9.89	$3.00 Boy's Suits, $2.48.
$10.00 Men's Suits, Special Now $7.48	$2.00 Boy's Suits, $1.48.
$7.00 Men's Suits, This Sale, ...$5.48	50c. Boy's Pants, 38c.
$6.00 Men's Suits, Now $4.98	65c. Boy's Pants, 48c.
$3.50 Men's Pants, $2.48	35c. Boy's Shirts, 25c.
$3.00 Men's Pants, $1.98.	65c. Men's Dress Shirts, 48c.
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100 TWO PIECE SUITS FOR MEN TO BE SOLD SO LOW AS TO RESEMBLE GIFTS.

BUY YOUR EASTER HAT FROM GAYLORD'S AND YOU GET THE LATEST IN STYLE AND LOWEST IN PRICE.

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ON TUESDAY MARCH 28,

will begin the Sale of the Stock of Goods at **Paris Millinery Emporium,** 129 Market Street, city.

The stock of Skirts, Hats, Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, Coats, Laces, Rugs, Blankets and other goods will be sold very cheap. We want to close it out in two weeks.

The best of the stock will be sold at cost and quantities of it at less than half the cost.

The first customers will get the best bargains.

The prices will range about one-half the Regular Retail Price. Liberal discounts will be allowed to merchants.

THIS IS THE OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFE TIME FOR SMALL MERCHANTS.

The stock consist of up-to-date goods — Coats, Skirts, Waists, Rugs, Laces, Embroidery, Hats, Ribbons, Velvet Silk, Flowers, Feathers and Notions.

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Public approval and satisfied customers point to this Pharmacy as the best place to buy pure, fresh drugs and medicines.

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C. E. TAYLOR, JR., Cashier.

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Report of the Condition of The Murchison National Bank,

At close of business March 14, 1905 Began business March 1, 1898.

Resources:		Liabilities.	
Loans and Discounts	$ 950,197 95	Capital	$ 300,000 00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	350,000 00	Surplus and net profits	143,706 81
Bank Building	25,000 00	Circulation	365,000 00
Cash on hand and in banks	674,884 39	Deposits	1,291,375 53
Total	$2,000,082 34	Total	$2,000,082 34

Comparative statement of deposits.

March 14th, 1901, $411,594 08. March 14th, 1903, $1,251,056 66. March, 14th, 1905, $1,291,875 53.

H. C. McQueen, President. J. V. GRAINGER, Cashier.

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We are now prepared to fill orders with promptness and at close prices.

Also have in stock a full supply of "Building Material" including "Alpha" Portland Cement.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—The Secretary of State at Raleigh on Monday issued a charter to the Kent Furniture & Coffin Company, of Lenoir, Caldwell county. The capital is $50,000, authorized and $20,000 subscribed by A. A. Kent, A. V. Miller, and others.

—At Asheville on Monday Ivery Suber, a lineman in the employ of the Western Union was badly hurt at the new passenger station. Suber, in jumping from one portion of the building to another, landed on a sky-light and fell through, breaking his breast bone and three ribs.

—Governor Glenn went to Clarkton, to deliver the address for the closing of the High School there Monday night. He goes to Greensboro Thursday to deliver the address for the closing of the A. & M. College, colored. He delivered an educational address in advocacy of graded schools at Sanford Tuesday night.

—Charlotte Chronicle: The plan of one Charlotte firm, J. B. Ivey & Company, to give out only clean, new money in change, is a good one and ought to be generally adopted. The South has been plagued long enough with dirty money. The new bills are as easy to secure as the old ones and every merchant ought to put them out.

—Mr. S. F. Wall has recently discovered a very rich monazite mine on his farm, near Henrietta, Rutherford county. It is being worked by Mr. J. W. Fisher, quite an experienced monazite mine worker, who recently took out $124 worth of monazite in nine days. Mr. Fisher claims that it is the richest mine in Rutheford county, as it makes from three to four buckets-ful to the trough. Some traces of gold are also found.

—Charlotte Chronicle: A dispatch from Newport News to The Raleigh Post says that "at the meeting of the department of North Carolina and Virginia of the Grand Army of the Republic there was a hot fight between Charles H. Osborne, a prominent white man of Phoebus, Va., and Isaac Powell, colored 'of Newbern, for the office of commander, the negro losing by only three votes." Simply because Powell is a North Carolina darkey, we confess to a slight feeling of regret that he failed to get the job.

—A correspondent at Boone says: "The indications are that we will soon have a railroad in Watauga. A squad of hands, under Captain Parry, of Morganton, have been at work at Shull's Mills. There will be about seventeen miles of the road in Watauga. A railroad is badly needed in this county, so that the people may have a home market for their cabbage and potatoes. The Carolina and Northwestern Railroad is being extended from Lenoir across Watauga into the iron region of North Carolina and the coal region of Tennessee.

—Fire broke out in the saw-mill plant belonging to the E. M. Short Lumber Company at Washington, N. C., Monday night at 11 o'clock, and it was totally destroyed. By hard work the large dry kilns and a large stock of lumber belonging to the company was saved. The total loss to the Short Lumber Company is estimated at $20,00. The barns belonging to Mr. Fleming, nearby the Short Company's plant caught and were partially destroyed. Mr. Fleming's elegant mansion caught repeatedly from flying sparks, but by hard work it was saved without any damage. Mr. Fleming's loss is about $2,000.

—A dispatch from Asheville on Monday says: A Democratic primary was held here to-day for the purpose of nominating candidates for city officals. A heavy vote was polled and much interest manifested. The contest for the mayoralty nomination was between Mr. Alf. S. Barnard, a prominent lawyer and Alderman R. L. Fitzpatrick, known as the "laboring man's candidate." Barnard defeated his opponent by 332 vote. An independent movement was set on foot several days ago and a ticket will be nominated to-morrow night. It is conceded, however, that such a movement has not the ghost of a show. The nominee for mayor at to-day's primary led the fight against the defeated dispensary proposition of three weeks ago and was fought bitterly by partisans of that measure. Barnard carried every precinct.

—"Tar Heel," writing to the Charlotte Observer from Williamston, N. C., April 22d, says: In your semi-weekly issue of the 21st of April, you give an extract from the diary of Rev. A. A. N. M. Taylor, and give the names of all of the entertainers of Mr. Davis' cabinet while in Charlotte in 1865, except Judge Reagan, who was the guest of the late Hon. Joseph H. Wilson, for 50 years a leading attorney amongst you. The writer was near Davis while he was addressing a brigade of cavalry and some of our citizens when he received the telegram announcing the assassination of President Lincoln. Mr. Davis was then the guest of Bates, who, as superintendent or supervisor of the express company in North and South Carolina, met Mr. Davis before he reached Charlotte and anticipated some of our citizens who wished to entertain Mr. Davis and they expressed both regret and disgust that the President of the Confederacy should have been entrapped by Bates, who afternoon testified agianst him before a congressional committee.

At Asheville several days ago B. Floyd alias Hicks Brooks was arrested charged with stealing tobacco and bound to the Superior Court to answer the charge and being unable to give bond was remanded to jail. Little attention was given the man or the offence until Sunday, when Sheriff Reed, while in the depot section summoning witnesses for court, was accosted by an old woman and told that there was a man in jail who was waiting an opportunity to attack the sheriff. The woman told the officer that she had learned that Floyd, or Brooks, was the man; that he was armed and that he had said he would kill the sheriff at the first opportunity. Returning to the jail later in the day the sheriff thought he would have the man searched and see if there could possibly be anything in the story. Floyd, or Brooks, was brought out and a thorough search of the man's cell made, but without result. The prisoner was then searched and concealed in his sock the officer found a new razor and nine diamond rings. The stones were all of good size and are said to be valuable. It is believed that the gems are stolen property and the sheriff will endeavor to locate the owners.

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Your Choice of 56 Valuable Articles

is offered for the freight-car coupons on Good Luck Baking Powder can labels. Besides beautiful pieces of jewelry, the list includes attractive articles of wearing apparel and handsome things for the house. You can get them easily and quickly—and you'll be surprised at their value. Five of the premiums are illustrated above. For full description and pictures of the whole list see the little Good Luck Premium Book in each can. The positive purity, the perfect wholesomeness of

GOOD LUCK Baking Powder

make it the most widely chosen of all leavening agents. During this year 16,145,114 pounds have been sold (many orders coming in for car-load shipments), which is the largest business for a single factory in the world. This is only the inevitable result of the original Good Luck plan—to furnish the best baking powder in the world at the lowest price—10 cents a pound. Good Luck is the best because it is purest, because it produces the lightest, whitest, sweetest of baking. These results are due to its unequaled leavening force, to the fact that it contains no adulteration whatever. It is the most economical because it takes less to do the work than any other baking powder. If your dealer doesn't sell Good Luck let us know, and we'll see that you are supplied at once.

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CUT OUT THIS CAR AND SAVE IT. THEY ARE GOOD FOR VALUABLE ARTICLES. SEE LIST IN EACH CAN. Address: THE DEPARTMENT STORE OF THE SOUTHERN MFG. CO. DRAWER 851 RICHMOND VA. U.S.A.
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Hundreds of Wilmington Readers Find It So.

The huntle and worry of business men,
The hard work and stooping of workmen,
The woman's household cares,
Are too great a strain on the kidneys.
Backache, headache, sideache,
Kidney troubles, urinary troubles follow.

A Wilmington citizen tells you how to cure them all.

R. F. Rowan, clerk with L. W. Davis' Clothing House, residing on Castle street between Sixth and Seventh, says: "I strained myself lifting a heavy box, and suffered great pain across my back for a long time. I used plasters and liniments, but they did me no good. I could hardly stand up straight, my back was so weak. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills advertised in our newspapers I went to Bellamy's drug store and got a box. I felt better the next day and continued using them according to directions and my back regained its old strength. I was simply surprised at the result. I will gladly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills every time for backache."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—DOAN'S—and take no substitute. **

SPECIAL RATES.

VIA

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Special rates from Wilmington, N. C., as follows:

Columbia, S. C. and return $6.00

Account Conference for Education in the South. Tickets on sale April 26th and 27th. Final limit of tickets May 5th.

Savannah, Ga. and return..... $10.05

Account Fourth Annual Tournament Southern Golf Association. Tickets on sale May 7th, 8th and 9th. Final limit of tickets May 15th.

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Asheville, N. C. and return..... $10.90

Account South Atlantic Missionary Conference. Tickets on sale May 16th and 17th for trains to arrive at Asheville before poon of May 18th. Final limit of tickets May 23d.

For information call on ticket agent or 'phone 160.

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When leading physicians said that W. M. Smithart, of Perkin, Ia., had incurable consumption, his last hope vanished; but Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, kept him out of his grave. He says: "This great specific completely cured me, and saved my life. Since then, I have used it for over 10 years, and consider it a marvelous throat and lung cure." Strictly scientific cure for Coughs, Sore Throats or Colds; sure preventive of Pneumonia. Guaranteed, 50c. and $1.00 bottles at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. Trial bottle free. **

To accomodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membrance and does not dry up the secretions, but changes them to a natural and healthy character. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y. **

Cheated Death.

Kidney trouble often ends fatally, but by choosing the right medicine, E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Iowa, cheated death. He says: 'Two years ago I had Kidney Trouble, which caused me great pain, suffering and anxiety, but I took Electric Bitters, which effected a complete cure. I have also found them of great benefit in general debility and nerve trouble, and keep them constantly on hand, since, as I find they have no equal." R. R. Bellamy, druggist, guarantees them at 50c. **

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Five Children In Eight Months. Sun.)

(From the Baltimore

Laurel, Del., April 20.—Mrs. Uriah Bailey, 18 years old, married less than two years, has presented her husband, a laborer, of Bacon's Mill, with five children within the last eight months. Twins were born last August. Both died. Yesterday Dr. Fleetwood was called, and to his astonishment three infants made their appearance. They were born prematurely and all died within a few hours.

NEW YORK ARTIST

Recommends Vinol to Create Srength.

A prominent New York artist, Mr. Jules de Naton, writes: "This is to certify that I have taken Vinol and found it of great value as an appetizer and tonic in general debility. After all other tonics and medicines had failed to help me Vinol built up my strength and invigorated my whole system in a remarkably short time. It is certainly a delicious cod liver oil preparation and contains none of the greasy, disagreeable features of old-fashioned cod

JULES DE NATON

liver oil and emulsion, and I want to recommend Vinol to every one who is in a weak, run-down, debilitated condition."

This is only another illustration that where all other tonics and emulsions of cod liver oil fail, Vinol will purify and renrich the blood, increase the appetite and create strength.

Druggist Robert R. Bellamy says: "The reason Vinol accomplishes such remarkable results is because it contains in a concentrated from all the curative, strength-creating properties of that famous old remedy, cod liver oil, but without a drop of oil or grease to upset the stomach and retard its work.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over 60 years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. **

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is the Freeman. Its size, its shape, its flavor—all proclaim it pre-eminent for the club and the den of the man of refined taste. But in this much it's not an exclusive cigar:—it sells for 5 cents the one, $2.00 the box of fifty, so that any man who likes a good-all-the-way through cigar can afford to buy the Freeman. The point is this: You should smoke Freeman cigars.

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2 55 p m	Lv. Philadelphia	Lv.	1 45 p m
5 10 p m	Lv. Baltimore	Lv.	11 30 a m
6 25 p m	Lv. Washington	Lv.	10 10 a m
10 00 p m	Lv. Richmond	Lv.	6 25 a m
2 35 a m	Lv. Raleigh	Lv.	1 30 a m
3 53 a m	Lv. Suth'n Pines	Lv.	11 20 p m
8 50 a m	Lv. Hamlet	Lv.	10 10 p m
12 45 p m	Ar. Wilmington	Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Norfolk and Portsmouth.

Read Down			Read Up
8 24 p m	Lv. Norfolk	Ar.	8 20 a m
9 00 p m	Lv. Portsmouth	Ar.	8 00 a m
1.53 a m	Lv. Henderson	Lv	2 58 a m
2 35 a m	Lv. Raleigh	Lv	1 30 a m
7 00 a m	Ar. Hamlet	Lv.	10 50 p m
8 50 a m	Lv. Hamlet	Ar.	7 35 p m
12 45 p m	Ar. Wilmington	Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Atlanta and Birmingham.

Read Down			Read Up
7 50 a m	Lv. Birmingham	Ar.	2 25 p m
3 05 p m	Ar. Atlanta	Lv.	8 00 a m
9 00 p m	Lv. Atlanta	Ar.	7 40 a m
11 23 p m	Lv. Athens	Lv.	6 08 a m
1 56 a m	Lv. Greenwood	Lv	3 35 a m
4 06 a m	Lv. Chester	Lv.	1 20 a m
7 10 a m	Ar. Hamlet	Lv.	10 10 p m
8 50 a m	Lv. Hamlet	Ar.	7 35 p m
12 45 p m	Ar. Wilmington	Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Savannah, Montgomery, Jacksonville and Tampa.

Read Down			Read Up
8 30 a m	Lv. Tampa	Ar.	6 35 p m
1 53 p m	Lv. Tallahasse	Ar.	3 20 p m
5 20 p m	Ar. Jacksonville	Lv.	10 00 a m
7 50 p m	Lv. Jacksonville	Ar.	8 45 a m
12 10 a m	Lv. Savannah	Lv.	4 35 a m
5 30 a m	Lv. Columbia	Lv.	1 15 a m
8 24 a m	Lv. Camden	Lv.	12 19 a m
8 35 a m	Ar. Hamlet	Lv.	10 10 p m
8 50 a m	Lv. Hamlet	Ar.	7 35 p m
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5 47 p	Charlotte Ar.	Lv.	10 08 a .....
7 23 p	Charlotte Lv.	Ar.	10 45 p .....
5 01 a	Monroe Lv.	Lv.	9 55 p .....
5 46 a	Hamlet Ar.	Lv.	7 55 p .....
7 29 a	Hamlet Lv.	Ar.	7 35 p 11 05 a
4 40 p	8 40 a	Maxton Lv.	Lv.	6 40 p 10 18 a
5 25 p	9 25 a	Lumberton Lv.	Lv.	5 26 p 9 31 a
6 10 p	10 15 a	Clarkton Lv.	Lv.	4 40 p 8 42 a
6 55 p	11 03 a	Wilmington Lv.	Ar.	2 00 p 7 00 a
8 59 p	12 45 p	Ar.	Lv.	2 00 p 7 00 a

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EASTBOUND.

Stations.	No. 3.	No. 5.
Lv. Goldsboro	3 45 p m	8 00 a m
Lv. LaGrange	4 16 p m	8 28 a m
Lv. Kinston	4 40 p m	8 52 a m
Lv. Dover	5 02 p m	9 14 a m
Lv. Cove	5 16 p m	9 27 a m
Lv. Tuscarora	5 26 p m	9 37 a m
Ar. Newbern	5 45 p m	10 00 a m

Stations.	No. 7 (Accom)
Lv. New Bern	5 55 p m
Lv. Riverdale	6 15 p m
Lv. Havelock	6 41 p m
Lv. Newport	6 47 p m
Ar. Morehead City	7 12 p m

WESTBOUND.

Stations.	No. 4	No. 8 (Accom)
Ly Morehead City	7 40 a m	4 20 p m
Lv. Newport	8 11 a m	4 57 p m
Lv. Havelock	8 27 a m	5 13 p m
Ar. New Bern	9 00 a m	5.29 p m
Lv. Riverdale	8 42 a m	5 45 p m

Stations.	No. 6
Lv. New Bern	9 15 a m
Lv. Tuscarora	9 37 a m
Lv. Cove	9 49 a m
Lv. Dover	10 03 a m
Lv. Kinston	10 27 a m
Lv. LaGrange	10 51 a m
Ar. Goldsboro	11 20 a m

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, March 14, 1905.

Began business September 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$472,472 10
Demand loans	24,050 00
Due from banks	17,302 17
Gold coin	395 00
Furniture and fixtures	100 00
Silver coin	236 45
Cash items	2 77
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	1,016 00
Total	$516,575 69

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Profits and Loss	15,470 94
Unearned interest	2,500 00
Cashier's checks	150 00
Certified checks	25 00
Deposits	448,429 75
Total	$516,575 69

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, Milton Calder, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of March, 1905.

S. M. BOATWRIGHT, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

ROBERT R. BELLAMY,
I. M. BEAR,
D. McEACHERN,
Directors.

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE Atlantic National Bank at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, March 14th, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 822,665 82
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	921 39
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	125,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. deposits	77,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand	16,000 00
Stocks, securities, &c.	36,850 00
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	20,000 00
Other real estate owned	10,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	128,647 18
Due from State Banks and Bankers	104,710 91
Due from approved reserve agents	95,434 09
Checks and other cash items	150 00
Notes of other National Banks	12,575 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	253 50
Lawful Money Reserve in bank viz:	
Specie $18,021 00	
Legal tender nts. $32,396 00	50,417 00
Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	3,050 25
Total	$1,493,675 14

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund	125,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	84,832 92
National Bank notes outstanding	125,000 00
Due to other National Banks	105 732 72
Due to State Banks and Bankers	82,425 76
Dividends unpaid	551 00
Individual deposits subject to check	715,315 05
Certified checks	904 97
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,411 72
United States deposits	77,000 00
Total	$1,493,675 14

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, J. W. Yates, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. YATES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1905.

GEORGE SLOAN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JAS. H. CHADBOURN,
D. McEACHERN,
C. W. YATES,
Directors.

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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect April 16, 1905.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar. Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar. Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 36 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 51 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 00 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 55 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 00 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmingt'n	6 00 a m	3 45 p m	6 50 p m
Ar Florence	9 35 a m	7 40 p m	3 55 a m
Ar Charlest'n	1 20 p m	11 40 p m	6 50 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 05 a m
Ar Jack'ville	.....	8 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa	.....	6 55 p m	11 00 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8 40 p m	9 00 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	4 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar. Florence	7 35 p m	9 25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8 50 a m	Ar. 6 00 p m
Ar. Fayetteville	12 15 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar. 12 30 p m
Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington connecting with Pennsylvania R. R. for all points east.

W. J. CRAIG, Gen'l Passenger Agent.

H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager.

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To The Beach and Wrightsville.

In effect April 15, 1905.

Suburban Schedule (Daily except Sunday.)

Leave Front and Princess.	Leave the Beach.
6.30 A. M.	7.15 A. M.
*8.00 A. M.	8.45 A. M.
10.00 A. M.	12 15 P. M.
1.00 P. M.	2.15 P. M.
2.00 P. M.	3.15 P. M.
3.00 P. M.	4.15 P. M.
4.00 P. M.	5.15 P. M.
5.00 P. M.	6.15 P. M.
*6.00 P. M.	6.45 P. M.
*7.30 P. M.	8.15 P. M.
	Lv. Wrightsville.
9.00 P. M. Wrightsville only.	9.30 P. M.
*10.00 P. M.	10.30 P. M.

*Trains leaving Front and Princess at 8.00 A. M., 6.00, 7.30 and 10.00 P. M., will go to the Beach on request.

CITY SCHEDULE.

Regular City Cars.

Brooklyn and Belt line cars leave Front and Princess streets every 10 minutes beginning at 7.25 A. M., daily except Sunday. Sunday at 8.25 A. M. Last Brooklyn and Belt line cars leave Front and Princess streets at 12.05 midnight.

Hospital and Cemetery Cars.

(Without change).

Leave Front and Princess	Leave Cemetery
9.00 A. M.	9.30 A. M.
3.30 P. M.	3.45 P. M.
4.00 P. M.	4.15 P. M.
4.30 P. M.	4.45 P. M.
5.00 P. M.	5.15 P. M.

A. C. L. Depot Car.

(Without change.)

Leave Front and Princess	Leave A. C. L. Depot
10.00 A. M.	10.10 A. M.
5.40 P. M.	6.00 P. M.

S. A. L. Car.

(Without change.)

Leave Front and Princess	Leave S. A. L. Depot.
6.40 A. M.	7.00 A. M.
12.35 P. M.	12.45 P. M.
2.35 P. M.	3.00 P. M.
8.35 P. M.	8.45 P. M.

FREIGHT CAR.

Leave 9th and Orange Sts.	Leave the Beach.
4.00 P. M.	6.00 P. M.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Wednesday Morning, April 26.

WARM WIRELETS.

It has been decided at a mass-meeting of citizens at Nashville, Tenn., that the city will aid in erecting the new building of Vandebilt University to replace the structure recently destroyed. Over $33,000 has been subscribed to this end.

A special from Greenville, Miss., says: "Governor Vardaman to-day formally announced that he would be a candidate for the United State Senate in the event of Senator Money retirement. Beyond merely stating that he would be a candidate, the Governor declined to talk."

James Britt and Jabez White, the English light-weight champion, will fight in Woodward's Pavilion in San Francisco, May 5th. The supervisors have granted the Hayes Valley Club a permit for May, with the understanding that the club will promote the Britt-White engagement. The articles call for the boxers to receive fifty per cent. of the gross receipts, the winner to receive sixty per cent. of this and the loser forty per cent.

At Charleston, W. Va., yesterday another turn was taken in the fight between the Deep Water Railroad Company (suposed to be the Wabash) and the Chesapeake and Ohio, for the possession of Jenny's Gap, the gateway from New river to the coal fields of Southwestern Virginia. The Supreme Court awarded the gap to the Deep Water Company, reversing the decision of the Raleigh county court, which gave the gap to the C. and O. and awarded the Deep Water Railroad damages.

The Board of Directors of the United States Steel Corporation at a meeting in New York yesterday declared a regular dividend of 1 3-4 per cent. on the preferred stock. The earnings for the quarter were $23,025,896, an increase of $9,580,664 as compared with the same quarter last year. The unfilled orders on hand March 31st were 5,597,560 tons, an increase of 1,460,599 compared with March 31, 1904, and in excess of all previous records. The dividend on all preferred stock is payable May 31st.

Congressman John Sharp Williams yesterday delivered an address in the interest of the Southern Cotton Association before a large audience of bankers, merchants and farmers, at Natchez, Miss. Many ladies were also present. He urged co-operation of all men in the South for the movement to secure a diversification of the crops; reduction of cotton acreage and the equivalent of the law of supply and demand. He recommended that the farmers adopt the system employed by Italian immigrants who come here and grow rich raising and marketing garden truck.

MILWAUKEE DEFALCATION.

Banks of City Stood By First National In Trouble.

By wire to The Morning Star.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 25.—Confidence has again been restored in the banking institutions of Milwaukee and the run on the First National Bank and the Milwaukee Trust Company which was caused by the confession of a defalcation by Frank G. Bigelow, until Monday president of the First National Bank and a director of the Trust Company, of over $1,000,000, is a thing of the past, and banking affairs in Milwaukee have resumed their normal condition.

Before the hour for opening the bank had arrived a meeting of the Milwaukee Clearing House Association was held and a committee of that instituion after examining the assets and collateral of the First National Bank, issued a re-assuring report declaring the bank perfectly solvent.

Following this was a statement issued by the board of directors of the First National Bank, announcing with absolute positiveness that the bank was solvent.

The banks affected were well able to cope with a long run, but it was decided by all the banks in the city to take advantage of the law on time deposits requiring a notice of thirty days of withdrawal on amounts less than $100, and ninety days where the amounts exceeded that sum. As rapidly as the depositors appeared at the wickets of the Savings department of the affected institutions, their pass books were stamped acknowledging the notice of withdrawal and the depositors took their departure. It only required about two hours to dispose of the line of depositors.

One of the most spectacular happenings of the day was the action of Mayor Rose in walking down Wisconsin street in full view of the crowd with $500,000 in currency and gold in canvas bags. He was surrounded by policemen and detectives and walked into the bank with the treasurer. This money was part of the shipment from Chicago banks and some from other Milwaukee banks. At noon the street assumed its normal appearance and the run was completely over.

National Bank Examiner C. H. Bosworth, of Chicago, who was sent here by Comptroller of the Currency Ridgely, is at work on the books of the First National and will report his findings to his superiors in Washington as soon as possible.

Frank G. Bigelow, the deposed president of the First National Bank, walked down town today but did not enter the bank building. He soon returned to his home where he spent most of the day in seclusion.

Up to a late hour no trace had been found of Henry G. Goll, the deposed assistant cashier of the First National Bank.

EDUCATORS COMING SOUTH.

Attend Annual Conference at Columbia, S. C., To-day.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, April 25.—A notable party of educators left this city today to attend the eighth annual Conference for Education in the South, which begins a three-days session in Columbia, S. C., tomorrow. The party is travelling South in a special train as the guest of Robert C. Ogden, president of the Conference, and is schedule to arrive in Columbia at 11 A. M. Mr. Ogden's guests include George Foster Peabody; Dr. Wallace Butterrick, secretary of the Central Educational Board; Dr. A. S. Draper, New York State Commissioner of Education; Professor Henry W. Farnum, of Yale, and Mrs. Farnum; and Robert Treat Paine, Boston. The party will tour the South before its return to New York.

MR. JEFFERSON'S REMAINS.

Now En Route North Via A. C. L.—Services in New York.

By wire to The Morning Star.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 25.—The special train bearing the remains of Joseph Jefferson to the North, arrived here this morning. The two private cars which made up the special were attached to Atlantic Coast Line train, No. 32, which left at once for the North. The party accompanying the body included: Charles B. Jefferson, Frank Jefferson, Mrs. Simons, a relative, and little Marion Jefferson, a great grand-daughter of the dead actor. Secretary Carl Kettler and servants of the household were also in the party.

NAN PATTERSON MURDER TRIAL

Prosecution Unrelenting and Vindictive Towards Floradora Chorus Girl.

GRUESOME SKELETON SHOWN

District Attorney Attempts to Show That It Was Impossible For Young to Have Committed Suicide—Her Attorney Mad.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, April 25.—Perhaps the most interesting development in the testimony of today in the trial of "Nan" Patterson, charged with the murder of "Caesar" Young, came when Coroner's Physician O'Hanlon took the witness stand for the prosecution and said in reply to questions that he had changed his opinion that Young had committed suicide.

Dr. O'Hanlon performed the autopsy on Young's body. In his testimony today he said:

"My present opinion is not the opinion I formerly expressed to Coroner Brown."

The counsel for the defense, Lawyer Levy, asked the doctor:

"Did you report this case to Coroner Brown as one of suicide?"

When Dr. O'Hanlon replied in the affirmative Mr. Levy asked:

"Do you now say that in your best judgment it is a case of suicide?"

"No, I won't say that."

"Didn't you say so once?" was asked.

"I did but I think now it is a case for the jury to decide. I thought at the time that I detected powder marks on the hands of 'Caesar' Young."

Assistant District Attorney Rand produced the official report of Dr. O'Hanlon, which did not define the case as one of suicide and the doctor said that he simply expressed the suicide opinion in conversation with Coroner Brown.

After some further questioning Mr. Rand asked the witness if he still held the same opinion that he expressed to Coroner Brown and Dr. O'Hanlon replied:

"I will only say this, my opinion now is not what it was when I talked to Coroner Brown."

This incident came at the close of the day's proceedings in the trial.

When court opened Miss Patterson appeared in a black and white checked dress, in direct contrast to the mourning costume which she has worne during days of this and previous trials.

At to-day's hearing Police Captain Sweney told of a conversation he had with Miss Patterson soon after her arrest in which she said she had put her hand in Young's pocket after the shot had been fired, had looked at the revolver and then dropped it back in the pocket.

The scenes of West Broadway where the shooting took place were gone over by witnesses and the cab driver who was on the box when Young was shot was on the stand, but the testimony did not differ materially from that at the previous trial. When Frederick Michael, the cab driver, was asked why he did not look in the cab when he heard the shot fired he replied:

"It wasn't my place. Suppose I had looked in and got shot?"

Dr. E. M. Riggin, formerly of the Hudson Street Hospital, testified that the bullet which caused Young's death entered the left side and after striking the back bone lodged in the muscles of the back.

While Dr. Riggin was being examined a headless and legless skeleton was brought into court. Lawyer Levy strenuously objected to its introduction, saying that it was unnecessary and tended to prejudice the case against the defendant. Miss Patterson was visibly affected.

After Dr. Riggin had indicated on the skeleton the course of the bullet which killed Young, Mr. Levy, counsel for the prisoner, asked that he illustrate the position in which the revolver must have been held to produce the wound. "I could not do it at the point I have indicated," the witness replied, "because I could not twist myself into such a position."

While Mr. Levy was questioning Dr. Riggin, Assistant District Attorney Rand held the revolver with the muzzle turned toward his own right breast and snapped the trigger time after time.

Mr. Levy questioned the witness very closely about the skeleton which was used in the examination and drew from him admissions that it was considerably smaller than Mr. Young and that he was not sure it was made up of bones of one person or even that the bones of two sexes had been used.

"Could you tell whether it came from a man with red hair, with teeth filed?" broke in Mr. Rand.

This interjection caused Mr. Levy to complain bitterly to Recorder Goff. He asked that the prosecuting attorney be suppressed, saying "I wish this superfluous, square jawed individual would try to be a gentleman."

Counsel for J. Morgan Smith and his wife served notice today on District Attorney Jerome that he will make a motion to-morrow before Judge Foster, in general sessions for the dismissal of the indictments against his clients. In his affidavit the lawyer says that there is no evidence to show that his clients conspired against "Caesar" Young, or in any way; that the evidence of Stern, the pawn broker, does not in any way connect them with the case; that most if not all of the evidence given before the grand jury was in response to leading questions and was really the testimony of Assistant District Attorney Rand and not the witnesses, and that it would not be admitted in any court.

Mr. Levy stated today that he had received some while back a letter from Dr. eKndall, of Menasha, Wis., containing a local newspaper clipping in which it was reported that Joseph Kasel, a jockey, writing at Chicago to friends in Menasha, mentioned that he had been employed by "Caesar" Young and that he knew the latter to be a despondent individual who, in trouble, was inclined to commit suicide. John Mellin, Young's racing partner, said he did not know a jockey named Kasel and is sure he never employed a rider of that name.

GOVERNMENT CROP REPORT.

Much Cotton Killed in Carolinas, Georgia and Alabama.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, April 25.—The weekly crop report of the Weather Bureau says:

Cotton planting has been active, under favorable conditions, over most of the cotton belt, but was delayed by rains in Oklahoma and Indian Territory, Arkansas, and Northern Texas. The frost of the 17th killed much cotton in portions of Alabama, Georgia and the Carolinas. Chopping has begun in Southern Texas and portions of the eastern districts, and cultivation in southern Georgia.

Fruit prospects have been further lessened during the past week throughout the Ohio Valley, east Gulf States, and on the Atlantic coast South of New England, peaches suffering most.

FOUR TEXANS SHOT DEAD AT PROHIBITION MEETING

Congressman Pinckney, His Brother, Capt. Brown, Who Started Melee, and By-Stander Were Victims.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Hempstead, Texas, April 25.—As a result of the bloody battle here last night, when four men were killed and others were wounded, Hempstead is tonight under the control of the Texas Rangers. Martial law has not been declared, but Adjutant General Hulen arrived to-night with a number of Rangers and assumed charge of affairs. No one is permitted to bear arms and the excitement manifested throughout the day has quieted down to-night.

Rollan Brown, the son of one of the men killed at the prohibition mass meeting last night, was today placed under arrest, on a charge of firing the shot which killed Representative John M. Pinckney. He stated that his father was under the influence of intoxicants when he attended the meeting and that he (the son) attempted to dissuade him from attending. His father was firm, however, in his intention, and went to the meeting. The son followed and took part in the shooting. It has been established that the trouble began when Captain Brown attempted to secure recognition to speak at the meeting. It is said that his language was offensive to several ladies present and the fusillade began immediately afterward. Congressman Pinckney was shot four times and was almost instantly killed. Thomas Pinckney, a brother of the Congressman, was shot twice in the back and killed, and Captain Brown received a bullet through the heart. John E. Mills, the remaining victim, took no part in the affair and was killed by a stray bullet.

The killings are the direct result of a prohibition movement in Waller county which was begun some years ago and the feeling has bee intense. An election was held in Waller county, April 20, and the prohibitionists, with whom the Pinckneys were affiliated ,were successful. The prohibition league was called together last night to wind up its affairs and disband. A resolution requesting the governor of Texas to send troops to Waller county for the purpose of enforcing the law against liquor sellers was excitedly debated. It was at this juncture that Captain H. M. Brown, who had figured prominently as an anti-prohibitionist, sought to have the chairman recognize him.

To-day it was reported that friends and relatives of the participants in the bloody affray had been asked to come to Hempstead and it was feared that further trouble would result. To-night, however, cooler counsel has prevailed and the little town is quiet. While no further trouble is anticipated, a number of Rangers will remain here to preserve order should the occasion arise.

MR. ROCKEFELLER LIBELED.

Charge That He Committed Perjury Clearly Refuted.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, April 25.—Starr J. Murphy, of John D. Rockefeller's private counsel, to-day issued the following statement by Mr. Rockefeller's authority:

"In his latest attack upon Mr. Rockefeller, Dr. Washington Gladden seeks to make out a case of perjury and in doing so assumes paternity for a falsehood which has been frequently published during the past ten years, and until now never answered. Dr. Gladden says:

"'The South Improvement Company was one of the schemes invented by the Standard Oil magnates to plunder their competitors and enrich themselves. The organization and the methods of this company were abundantly proved in court, and the company was driven out of business. A few years afterwards before a committee of the New York Legislature, Mr. Rockefeller under oath took part in the following colloquy:

"'There was such a company?'

"'I have heard of such a company.'

"'You were not in it?'

"'I was not.'

"'Mr. Lloyd apropriately adds: 'So help me God.' On the same day another of the former trustees and one of the closest associates of Mr. Rockefeller, being asked by a congressional committee who made up that South Improvement Company named as among them the principal members of the Standard Oil Company and at the head of them all stood the name of John D. Rockefeller.'

"Dr. Gladden makes much of his position as an original investigator and says that it is within the power of every intelligent man to find out from the original documents whether the statement is true or not.

"But unfortunately his statement is untrue, and his whole charge of perjury rests upon a garbled report. The testimony is taken from "A report of an investigation relative to trusts' (New York Senate 1888, pages 419-20.) Any one turning to that report will find that Mr. Rockefeller's testimony to the effect that he was not in 'such a company' did not refer to the South Improvement Company but to another entirely different corporation called the Southern Improvement Company. There were two corporations—the South Improvement Company and the Southern Improvement Company. The Southern Improvement Compnay was incorporated in Pennsylvania, April 16th, 1870, and Mr. Rockefeller was not connected with it. The South Improvement Company was incorporated over a year later, May 6th, 1871, and Mr. Rockefeller was connected with it. The charters of both these corporations are printed in full in the statutes of Pennsylvania and are accessible to all. If Dr. Gladden had mendaciously garbled the testimony in order to make out a case, there is nothing more to say. If he has done it ignorantly and has confused the names of these two corporations, he is scarcely less culpable, since before making a charge of so serious a character, it was obviously his duty to possess himself of the facts."

RALEIGH CITY PRIMARIES.

James I. Johnson For Mayor—Other Nominations.

Special Star Telegram.

Raleigh, N. C., April 25.—Candidates nominated to-day in the second Democratic primaries for city offices are James I Johnson, for mayor, by 581 majority, over Frank Stronach. Thomas Badger, police justice by 367 majority, over B. C. Beckwith. John S. Jones, city tax collector, by 192 majority, over C. F. Lumsden.

THE GOLDSBORO SHOOTING.

Mr. Borden's Condition Somewhat Improved, But Wound Serious.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Charlotte, N. C.—The condition of Arnold Borden, the Goldsboro man who was last night shot in a difficulty with E. L. Edmundson, another prominent business man of the town, is somewhat improved, although the wound in the lung is serious. Edmundson was given a hearing this afternoon, and admitted to bail in the sum of $10,000.

VICTORY OR DEATH IN NAVAL BATTLE

Rojestvensky Anxious to Fight Togo and Japan's Powerful War Ships.

WANTS TO SINK OR VANQUISH

Twenty Japanese Ships Sighted Off Kamranh Bay Sunday Night—More Firing Heard—Rumor That Russians Seized Island.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

Saigon, Cochin-China, April 25.—9:30 A. M.—Advices just received from Kamranh Bay say that twenty Japanese warships passed the bay between 8 and 9 o'clock in the evening of April 23.

Two ships loaded with rice from Saigon and bound for Japan have been captured by ships belonging to the Russian squadron.

Russian officers are reported to have declared that Admiral Rojestvensky is determined to fight Admiral Togo and will endeavor to vanquish the Japanese squadron or sink with it. Admiral Rojestvensky has given every detail of the coming conflict his particular attention. Togo's flagship will be his objective according to a special plan.

More firing at sea was heard at Kamranh Bay Sunday morning. The reports were extremely faint.

It is reported that four Russian cruisers are lying off the coast.

The statements that the crew of the Russian protected cruiser Diana joined Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron are pronounced absolutely unfounded. On the contrary, since the Diana has been interned the most minute precautions have been taken to prevent the slightest breach of neutrality. With the exception of Dr. Storm who was invalided to Russia, one noncommissioned officer who died and two sailors who were invalided, the crew remains the same. The commander of the Diana has given his parole and reports daily to the French commandant. All the essential parts of the Diana's machinery are on board the French battleship Redoubtable.

Startling Rumor.

Chicago, April 25.—A special to the Daily News from Hong Kong says: "Great excitement prevails in Chinese circles here over a report that the Baltic fleet has seized the Island of Hainan. The viceroy of Kwang Tung has dispatched officials to investigate the matter."

Positive News of Russian Fleet.

Tsingtau, Shantung Peninsula, China, April 25.—Positive confirmation has been obtained here of the statement that the Russian squadron left Kamranh Bay April 22 and that the Russian cruiser Svietlana, the Russian hospital ship Orel and fourteen transports are still off Kamranh Bay.

The division of the Russian squadron commanded by Admiral Nebogatoff had not joined the main squadron commanded by Admiral Rojestvensky up to to-day

No News Leaks From St. Petersburg.

St. Petersburg, April 25.—6:45 P. M.—The admiralty continues distrustful of many of the dispatches from the Far East reporting the sighting of the Russian and Japanese ships. The officials apparently are certain, however, that Admiral Nebogatoff has not yet entered the China sea. Some naval officers are of the opinion that Admiral Rojestvensky has left some of his transports behind to be convoyed by Nebogatoff and has pushed on favored by the thick weather reported along the coast. But the majority believe that Rojestvensky will cruise along the Annam coast until Nebogatoff joins him, pointing out that he can afford to play a waiting game, leaving Admiral Togo the alternative of allowing a juncture or sailing a thousand miles from his base to give open battle, which is exactly what Rojestvensky most desires.

Russian Spies Captured.

Singapore Straits Settlements, April 25.—A Russian giving the name of Vladimir Antonovitch, but carrying a passport made out in another name, has been arrested on the fortified island of Brani and was arraigned here to-day on the charge of being on government property without authority. He was remanded for a week. Antonovitch, who does not speak English, was residing with a non-commissioned officer of the Ordnance Department. It is popularly supposed that Antonovitch is a spy but the authorities say that no incriminating papers have been discovered.

The non-commissioned officer with whom Antonovitch boards also has been arrested and will be tried by court martial for harboring the Russian. The latter claimed the Russian consul would furnish the $400 bail demanded by the local magistrate but the consul refused to do so.

Togo's Fleet Near Korea.

Che Foo, April 25.— 9 P. M.—It was reported from Korea today that Admiral Togo with the major part of his squadron was at Masampo Bay, near Fusan, Korea, April 20.

Japs Operating Railroad.

Fusan, Korea, April 25.—The first railroad train from Liao Yang since the retreat of the Russians from that place last year reached Mukden station late yesterday, crossing the Hun river on the temporary bridge which has just been completed. Regular trains will be run between Port Dalny and Mukden in a few days. Quantities of supplies are being sent to Tie Pass from New Chwang in Junks up the Liao river.

Discredited Story.

Tsing Tau, April 25.—The German cruiser Sperber reports having sighted April 22d in the straits of Formosa, a Japanese man-of-war towing another one whoch was badly damaged.

Berlin, April 25.—An investigation shows that the German cruiser Sperber was not in the straits of Formosa April 22d. She arrived at Tsing Tau from Shanhaikwan April 21st, and left Tsing Tau April 24th, bound for Hong Kong.

BASE-BALL YESTERDAY.

American League.

New York, 6; Washington, 5.
Boston, 6; Philadelphia, 10.
Detroit, 0; Cleveland, 1.
St. Louis-Chicago—wet grounds.

National League.

Brooklyn, 3; Boston, 1.
Philadelphia, 1; New York, 8.
Chicago-Pittsburg—Rain.
Cincinnati, 12; St. Louis, 2.

Southern League.

Montgomery, 4; Atlanta, 2.
New Orleans-Memphis, wet grounds.
Little Rock, 0; Shreveport, 2.
Nashville-Birmingham, rain.

South Atlantic League.

Savannah, 6; Jacksonville, 1.
Macon, 3; Columbia, 11.
Augusta, 2; Charleston, 0.

College Games.

University of Va., 7; Syracuse (N. Y.) University, 2.
LeHigh, 7; Trinity, 6.
Amherst, 4; Harvard, 3.
Georgetown, 9; Yale, 6.
Baltimore (Eastern league), 14; Princeton, 3.

DESPOTIC GOVERNMENT GIVING WAY IN RUSSIA

Czar Announces Emphatically That He Will Convoke Representatives of The People.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

St. Petersburg, April 25.—"My will regarding the convocation of Representatives of the people is unswerving and the minister of the interior is making every effort for its speedy realization."

Emperor Nicholas receiving in audience at Tsarskoe-Selo, on Sunday, the marshal of the nobility of Bostroma, a government in Middle Russia, directed that the above message be communicated to the nobility of Bostroma. The message evidently was designed to be published to quiet the fears of those who are impatient at the delays and who have grown sceptical of the fulfilment of the promises continued in the Imperial rescript. It is very significant that the Emperor used the words "Convocation of Representatives of the People," thus going beyond the expression employed in the rescript and setting at rest all doubt as to his meaning.

Amnesty for Political and Religious Prisoners.

St. Petersburg, April 25.—A rumor is circulated here to the effect that Emperor Nicholas will mark Easter by the proclamation of general amnesty for political and religious prisoners now confined in the fortresses or prisons of European Russia or who are in exile.

Fears that the Easter holidays, which extend over thirteen days, will be the occasion for bloody riots are manifested everywhere and the population is becoming distinctly panicky over the stories which are circlating of murder, pillage and terrorism on the part of mobs in various parts of the country. Even churches, according to the stories told, are not exempt. The people are being especially warned not to enter the St. Isaac or Kazan Cathedrals, or the church of the Nevski Monanstery. The liberals pretend to believe that such stories are purposely circulated by the police. In any event the strain is becoming intense.

Governor-General Trepoff insists on his ability to preserve order and protect life and property. Among the persons arrested last night were three of the principal revolutionary leaders.

Disorder Expected In Poland.

Sosnovice, Russian Poland, April 25.—Great disorders are expected here at Easter time. The town is full of troops. Russian officials are receiving letters threatening them with massacre, and the workmen have been deluged with proclamations signed by the Polish revolutionary committee, warning them not to heed those who advise them to kill the Jews, but instead to kill all such persons. These proclamations are directed against the Jews.

"ROOSEY'S" BEAR HUNT.

Three Animals—Slaughtered Yesterday and Two Day Before.

By wire to The Morning Star.

Glenwood Springs' Col., April 25.—President Roosevelt's hunting trip has been crowned with success far beyond his expectations or those of the most sanguine of his guides. Three bears were killed by the party to-day and two yesterday, one by the President and one by Dr. Lambert. P. B. Stewart, of Colorado Springs, one of the President's hunting companions, arrived here to-night accompanied by a courier. They brought the story of the hunt. The killing of the three bears was telephoned to them, and they undstood that President Roosevelt brought down two of them, but the details are lacking.

The party is almost snow bound in its present location and no attempt will be made to cross the divide. Fifteen feet of snow is on the ground on the other side, and any effort to reach Red Stone would be futile. Bob cats are thick in the country now being hunted, so plentiful in fact, that many are allowed to escape without a shot. Several fine skins have been taken, however.

The bear killed by the President yesterday was of the brown variety, not so heavy, but furnishing a much finer felt than the first animal killed. One of the bears killed to-day is said to be a grizzly, but this cannot be verified.

LYNCHERS IN TROUBLE.

Prominent Citizens of South Carolina Arrested for Hanging White Man.

By wire to The Morning Star.

Charlotte, N. C., April 25.—Stewart W. Heath, John T. Stevens, Stephen Walsh, and S. Frank Hough, of Kershaw, S. C., were arrested last night on warrants charging them with participating in the lynching of John Morrison, white, last October. The prisoners were taken to Chester to-day. Two white men and a negro were committed to jail in Lancaster county Saturday on the same charge. One of the men under arrest, is said to have turned state's evidence. Other arrests will likely follow. The parties are prominent citizens of the community.

NEW TRIAL FOR HAYES.

White Man Convictee of Criminal Assault in Robeson County.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 25.—A new trial is ordered by the Supreme Court in the noted case of State vs. Hayes, in which the prisoner is under sentence to be hanged for criminal assault in Robeson county. The new trial is on the ground that the trial judge erred in not allowing the cross examination to proceed when the prosecutrix was on the stand and testified as to a letter she wrote to the prisoner.

Died at Castle Haynes.

Mrs. M. C. Slover, of Castle Haynes, 50 years of age, died yesterday morning at 8 o'clock at her home at Castle Haynes. The funeral will be conducted at 11 o'clock this morning at Burgaw, N. C. Mrs. Slover is spoken of as a most estimable woman and her death is mourned by many friends in the community. She leaves three children, Paul Slover and Misses Mabel and Addie Slover.

TLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY.

Wilmington, N. C., April 21, 1905.

Office of the Treasurer,

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There will be due and payable on May 1st, 1905, two per cent. interest on the New Four Per Cent. Certificates of Indebtedness of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, and the Treasurer of that Company has been directed to pay to all holders of record as of April 14th, 1905, this interest. The transfer books were closed April 14th and will stand closed until May 1st, 1905, both inclusive.

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LOST—SATURDAY EVENING ON Front and Market streets a pair of Gold Rimmed Eye-Glasses in case marked Ehrlich, Astor House, New York. Will finder please return same to Mrs. Ed. Campbell, 120 Walnut St., and receive reward. apr 26 1t*

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